GRANTS, &C. [Correspondence of the Richmond Dispatch.] DECEMBER 3, 1879. Captain J. H. Hill (colored), the Readrs' nominee for doorke per of the ate, is the commander of the Petersburg rds, and a man of intelligence and good acter. During the late campaign he very active in his efforts to secure the ses of the Readjusters in this city, and jed the great body of the negro vote him. But for his individual influence sburg would most probably have been that party. He organized his forces kept them all the while in line, and that they voted on the day of election. voice was often heard in the canvass.

appointment to office is a recognition lecture of Rev. Dr. J. William Jones at the Academy of Music, was one of

be fine farm of Mr. Edwin Scott, near erly, in Sussex county, has been purby a Mr. Norton, of Massachusetts, now receiving a large number of iml cattle and sheep with which to stock

gold medal for the best-drawn map dnia, and the certificate given by Agricultural Society to Master Donnan and Miss Roberta Clay vely-the latter for the second best of the United States, drawn from were delivered to-day to these ing scholars from our public schools. George W. Fields, an old and welleitizen, died last evening after a thess of pneumonia. He was nearly years of age, and leaves an irreable character.

protracted drought is said to have injured the wheat in some of the railroad. Some of the fields look as bare as a newly-turned fallow. village of Blacks-and-Whites, in Notcounty, is showing marked signs of rement. A number of dwellings and

water in the Appomattox river is can wade from shore to shore withiting his arms wet.

colored emigrants from North Caroo passed through this city last night e to Indiana numbered about three ed and fifty. They embraced both and all ages, whole families being in They came from different secthe State, and seemed to be hopein prosperous future in the State to they are going. They were in charge agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio by which route they go west. ROBIN ADAIR.

## CHARLOTTESVILLE.

CANTATA - COURT-DAY - COLORED JURY-PINAFORE-PERSONAL. rrespondence of the Elchmond Dispatch.]

**DECEMBER 3, 1879.** surprising in an amateur. Dr. W. P. med action. Mr. Lew. Wood, as g. and Mrs. J. W. Edwards, as Queen er, were perfect in their representa-Miss Blanche Dull captivated everyby her beauty and her singing.

This affair has excited a good deal of inest in legitimate drama, of which we as a tide are quite ignorant, and it is already sed to establish a permanent organin. I should have mentioned above the character of "Vashti," in the tabx of "Vashti Dethroned," was splensustained by Mrs. W. C. Payne. white jury previously, which had men in the county were summoned.

r. Reuben George, who is now in Richundergoing treatment for a canceraffection on his band, will return in a days entirely restored. e marriage of Miss Eliza L. C. Smith,

ghter of Professor Smith, of the Uniity, and Mr. W. W. Walker, Jr., of tmoreland, is announced for to-night in dethodist church.

he weather is yet very dry, the rain of y last doing very tittle towards satuthe earth. The thermometer to-day writing is 70°, and the air is very

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

EISTIANSBURG, VA., December 1, 1879. quietness in these parts has been very since the election. The defeat of Mr. 1. Phlegar, the Debt-Payers' candidate e Senate, occasioned great disappointhere and throughout the county. We istly proud of the fact that with so counties all around voting for the Reionists' party, Montgomery stood by nor of the State by a bandsome majo-It was true here, as elsewhere in the that the leading men and large probolders were, with rare exceptions. favor of sustaining the McCulloch setnt. Our town escaped being solid for attlement by so little that we may proclaim that it was and is solid. And we await with no little interest devel-

r dullne-s was somewhat relieved last the meeting of the Teachers' Infor the county here. Nearly all the rs were present. Dr. Ruffner was and made three addresses, which were ed to with deep interest by large au-His address on the geography and of Southwest Virginia was parinteresting. He holds the theory ced here by Major Jed. Hotchkiss il years ago, that Christiansburg is not of the Alleghany Mountains at all, ple and geographers bave so long bethat it is not even upon a mounbut upon a high-water shed, running s the great Valley of Virginia, dividbe waters of the Atlantic from those be Gulf of Mexico, similar to that en Staunton and Lexington which es the waters of the James from those Shenandoab. This puts us not west Alleghanies, but in the Valley, and fory strongly, if not irrefutably, sus-

by geographical and geological con-Peard of Visitors of the Agricultud Mecanical College at Blacksburg, recent meeting in Lynchburg, dis-Professor Charles Martin and adsplacing Dr. Minor, the president of REDHEADS' BAKING-POWDERS. ollege. Although there has been no gation of the difficulties which have d in the faculty of the institution, action, it is understood, has reference ose difficulties, and signalizes the triaph of the party in the faculty which has some time been in opposition to the

dent, Dr. Minor. Martin, who was for nearly twenty professor of Greek in Hempden-Sid-College, is well and widely known in State and in the South as a gentleman BOOK AND JOB WORK NEATLY EX-one scholarship, and great talent as an RECUTED state DISPATCE TRINTING

most accomplished professors in the Agricultural and Mechanical College. His suc-cessor is Captain T. N. Conrad, a local Methodist preacher, and the editor of our county paper, who has for several years had charge of the preparatory department of

the college as adjunct professor.

Dr. Charles L. C. Minor belongs to the well-known family of that name in Virginia. He is a Master of Arts of the Uni versity of Virginia, and has had a large and successful experience as an educator. He came from Sewanee University to take charge of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and through many difficulties has organized and launched this new institu tion upon a successful career. He is a gentleman sans peur et sans reproche. His successor has not yet been appointed, but it is reported that the Board of Visitors will fill the vacancy from its own ranks. MONTGOMERY.

Catholics and the Public Schools. AN AUTHORITATIVE STATEMENT OF ARCH-

BISHOP WILLIAMS'S RECENT UTTERANCES.

Boston, December 2 .- An official state ment has been made concerning the recent utterances of Archbishop Williams, of this diocese, made at a recent meeting of the THE SOFT- AND HARD-MONEY REPUBLICANS Catholic clergy of Boston with regard to Catholic schools. The Archbishop urged that, whenever practicable, Catholic schools should be established in every parish, and, Lee, the Model Man," delivered last as far as possible, made equal to public schools. They are regarded as practicable eding interest and full of reminiscences where their establishment and support incidents of General Lee's life. The would not create any serious financial emlence, however, was not a very large barrassment or impose too grievous a burden on the resources of the faithful, and in the absence of suitable Catholic schools parents who send their children to the public schools rather than to allow them to other States, and were prepared to deal the grow up illiterate should make it a matter of conscience to take due precautions against the dangers of such schools, and attend diligently to the instruction of the children in the Christian doctrine out of school hours. In this connection the Archpishop read from the instructions sent to bishops of the United States through the Roman Propaganda in a document dated November 24, 1875, and printed in some papers in this country soon after its reception, considering the document in question, and with reference to circumstances where Catholic parents may, with safe conscience. send their children to public schools, where (the danger being made remote) sufficient cause exists, such cause would commonly exist where there is no Catholic school at of the public finances. The Democrats enband, or where that which is accessible is little suited to educate the children properly or suitably to their condition in life. The opponents, and wise leaders think they

Archbishop said : ference of opinion arising between the pasores are in process of erection, and tor and parents as to the sufficiency alleged, the mutter must be referred to the decision of the bishop, whose decision will govern than it has been known to be for the conduct of both pastor and parents, years. In some places at low tide a who, for good and sufficient reasons, omit ing duties on imports, and shall not be by the committee. to send their children to parochial schools, but otherwise secure for them efficient religious instruction, may, if well disposed, be admitted to sacraments. No priest has the right, save in the rare and exceptional case of public scandalous sinners, to publicrats, and he says they will vote for it with licly refuse any of the sacraments of the Church to any Catholic reasonably applying for the same. Excommunication, as also public denunciation of individuals, or designated classes, is strictly forbidden to and be and Senator Voorhees were together. all priests of the diocese in this as in all He talks quite freely on current questions. other cases.'

AN EXCITING CONTEST IN SOUTH CAROthe cantata of Esther by sixty of our lard will leave it to the judge-elect to ob- date in the field. When questioned in reamateur artists. In the character of tain the office of Chief Justice by a writ of gard to his own State, he says it is Demo-Mr. F. Lentz played a part that quo warranto from the Supreme Court. the mouths of the severest critics. The application for the writ would give Miss Sallie G. Dodd in her rendition of rise to some trouble to determine who is to decide the question. Judge Willard, being tion of an important law case in M. Cox at Farmville, Va. displayed a talent for histrionic art that an interested party, could not sit, and As- which he has been counsel for some sociate-Justice McIver is a candidate, and years. His presence has done good, and andolph sustained the part of Morde- will probably be the claimant. The judges my judgment is that he would not decline he Jew with ability, while Miss Sallie to fill the court would be appointed by the the Suprime bench to fill the vacancy to be Seymour. While neither Mr. Hendricks Hon. Henry P. Baldwin, who was apas Mordecar's sister, entranced the Governor, but he is himself a candidate for caused by Judge McIver's promotion.

AN UNEXPECTED FLOOD IN BROOKLYN .-[Special dispatch to the Post.]-Brooklyn. another trial for the presidency. It makes December 2.- This afternoon, while some workmen were laying a twenty-inch water main to connect with a forty-eight-inch main from Prospect-Hill reservoir, the cap Chandler, who was deeper in the conspiwas taken from the large main on the supposition that the water had been cut off, when a volume of water immediately burst forth into the street, and instantly the adjoining streets were inundated, cellars cepting John Sherman and Agnes Jenks. onday was December Court. The first overflowed, and everything portable was jury ever empanelled in the county carried away by the rush of water. Milemarle was called to try the case of | lions of gallons of water were emptied into wful shooting by Henry Wood of Dr. the streets, and men, women, and children hour the water had not been cut off, and d to agree. The most intelligent col- was making its way down town, doing great damage. A number of factories and foungave Wood sixty days in the county | dries were compelled to stop work.

> A CHICAGO MAN ASTONISHES THE WORLD. Special dispatch to the Post.]-Chicago, December 2.—The Daily News says a man, to astonish the world, baving invented a machine by which he makes water burn. The machine disintegrates water, and bringing its components parts together again produces light, heat, or steam as he chooses. The light is brilliant and beautiful, the heat is intense, and by turning a valve the light being prepared to make a thorough test of was to-day nominated for collector of cus- rangements for an appropriate celebration the discovery. Woodman is an educated toms for Norfolk and Portsmouth. I cannot by the American people of the centennial chemist and machinist.

BURNING OF A COLONIAL HOMESTEAD. Fredericksburg, Va., December 2.-The dwelling-house of Colonel William Barcontents, including much antique furniture and other articles of value. Colonel Barbour, now in his ninetieth year, saved himself from the flames. There was but one other occupant of the building.

REV. DR. MURKLAND MARRIED.-Rev. W. J. Horace Lacy are here. U. Murkland, D. D., pastor of the Franklin-Street Presbyterian church, was married yesterday afternoon at his own church to Miss Elizabeth Austin, daughter of the late Philip Austin, M. D., of this city .- Battimore American, 3d.

On Monday Edward Fridinger and Rubits near Hagerstown, when an accident to day and said : "You, citizen of the mother fus Cramer, two boys, were shooting raboccurred that might have proved fatal. of some States and grandmother of others, Fridinger had crippled a rabbit, and was what in the mischief is the matter with about to pick it up when Cramer fired, lodging a load of shot in the back of Fridinger's head. He is not thought to be in

meeting that Captain Eads should be paid says the debt is thirty-old millions, and extinguished everything combustible, in-\$25,000 for the last quarter on account of that Virginia can pay 3 per cent. on it for the Mississippi jetties, less a pro rata reduction for the twenty days during which the & Co. say?" "Why, they say Virginia can lot, so that the fire did not spread to the channel did not maintain its legal deptis.

An election to dispose of \$1,300,000 worth of railroad stock belonging to Arapahoe county, Col., to Jay Gould for a quarter of a million of dollars took place Tuesday. A together for ten years?" "Certainly, as far as light vote was cast, and the proposition was the rate of interest is concerned." "Then," accepted ten to one.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE DISPATCH.

CONGRESSIONAL AND OTHER WASHINGTON NEWS-A PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN DEMOCEATS CLAIM WILTE'S ELECTION TEMPTED MURDER AND SUICIDE IN PENNSYLVANIA-SALVAGE CLAIMED AGAINST THE STEAMSHIP CITY OF RICH-THIEVES-TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT IN GEORGIA-WHAT THE MINERS HAVE OTHER ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF THE CZAR OF RUSSIA-IMPROVEMENT IN THE COTTON TRADE IN ENGLAND-SITUATION IN BULGARIA, &c., &c.

Washington.

A CONNECTICUT DEMOCRAT ON VIRGINIA-THE VIRGINIA MEMBERS-A COLONY-BRIEF ITEMS, &C.

[From our Regular Correspondent.] Washington, December 3 .- A political party is never safe, for it may bask in sunshine to-day only to find its sky full of threatening clouds to-morrow. The Rein Ohio, New Jersey, Connecticut, and fair. Democrats early and heavy additional blows in Congress. But the message of the President and the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, with their radical recommendations in regard to finance, have changed the programme, and to-day the soft- and hard-money men of the Republican party are wider apart than Mahone and Withers, or Kelly and Tilden. Yesterday an Iowa member threw down the gauntlet of rebellion in the House, and Mr. Carpenter followed it up in the Senate to-day with a resolution declaring that it is impolitic to disturb the present condition joy this disturbance in the ranks of their introduced a resolution that the Treasury notes of the United States shall be receivanotes hereafter reissued shall bear this much unanimity.

WHAT MR. HENDRICKS SAYS. Mr. Hendricks was at the Senate to-day, and encourages those Democrats who have been dispirited. He speaks kindly of Mr. LINA. - Chief-Justice Willard, of South Caro- Tilden, but does not, of course, want bim lina, who was elected to fill the unexpired nominated. He does not think him a disterm of Judge Moses, has created a sensa- organizer, and does not think there will be tion by claiming that his election entitles a split in the New York Democracy next him to hold the office for six years. It the Legislature elects a successor Judge Wilthe second place on a ticket with Bayard or Tilden, it is singular to notice how anxious the Republicans are that he should have E. Chandler, for example, on this lineracy which gave Mr. Hayes the presidency

same surname, or anybody else, not ex-Senator Wade Hampton and his colleague. General Butler, were in their seats to-day, the refunding of the national debt. The bill II. Wood, which had been on trial be | were compelled to fly for safety. At a late | and both seemed to be enjoying first-rate | is as follows: health. Senator Johnston introduced his bill to-day, as I predicted he would, taking war claims, &c., from Congress and referring January 20, 1871, to refund the public debt them to the Court of Claims, so that Repul- to the extent of \$1,500,000,000 as has not lican judges may pass upon their merits. When asked about the rumor that he intends introducing a proposition to make A. D. Woodman, of West Division, is about Grant captain-general, General Joe Johnston said the newspapers knew more about it than he does. By the way, he looks first- tion for the appointment of a select comrate, and walks to the Capitol every day, mittee of thirteen members to consider the Senator Ben. Hill is still at New Or-

than the late Senator from Michigan of the

leans with the Kellogg investigating of the Continental Congress adopted Occommittee. Mr. George E. Bowden tober, 1781, and to make the necessary arbelieve that the statement is true which de- wallis. Adopted. clares that Mr. Thurman endorses the posibour, an old colonial homestead in Stafford that Mr. Hendricks is very conservative on same conservative line with Gordon and

> A NEW ENGLAND DEMOCRAT ON VIRGINIA. An Associated Press telegram from Richmond to-day caused Virginia affairs to be discussed. A Connecticut Democrat, who due in 1881, amounting to nearly \$800,000,was not born in France, and who regards | 000.] Democracy as the true faith, and Senator Eaton, the prophet, hailed me in the rotuada your Democrats?" "They are fighting don't tell me that Withers and Mahone are said he, "where are your wise men that got your State out of the clutches of Canby and Wells, when we at the North were years," said he, "this country may be an empire and Great Britain a republic. Stop

for Bayard or Seymour, and then see who can do the most to beat Grant." VIRGINIA MEMBERS AT WORK.

Mr. Goode to-day offered a resolution for the appointment of a select committee to Company had obtained control of the Moconsider the expediency of erecting a mon-bile and Montgomery road (which was of ument to commemorate the surrender of late under the control of the Richmond Air-Cornwallis at Yorktown, and will press his proposition with his usual energy. General Hunton offered a resolution asking for all the correspondence between Colonel into effect January 1st,

This is said to be highly interesting, and will be read all over the country with avid-

INDIANA TO BE COLONIZED. One hundred and seventy colored persons from near Goldsboro', N. C., have arrived here en route for Indiana, where they intend to settle. Is this the beginning of the proposed scheme to increase the colored Republican vote of the stalwart Democratic State of the West In time for the next presidential election? Messrs. Hendricks, Voorhees, and McDonald should inquire into it.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS. It is asserted to-night that Mr. Sherman told Mr. Price, Republican, of Iowa, to-day that he does not want any change in regard to greenbacks. Then why did he recommend it?

Mr. Wood, chairman of Ways and Means, says he will vote against the recommendations of the Secretary of the Treasury and President in regard to greenbacks, but may WIDE APART-MR. HENDRICKS-PERSONAL- | go for a discontinuance of the coinage of the silver dollar.

> The rumor to-night is that Mr. Seward, Minister to China, is to be recalled. He ought to be tried, convicted, and severely punished

Mr. Ladd, Greenbacker, of Maine, says the Democrats only ask that the law be publicans came here flushed with victories strictly enforced in Maine, and that seems

> There was warm talk, I hear, in the Committee on Rules, and Mr. Blackburn put in some tart remarks. The House Committee on Appropriations

to-morrow. The marshals' deficiency bill will be considered right away. Dispatches to-day state that the crookedwhiskey people continue to make it warm

for the publicans in Townes county, Ga. [Associated Press Report by telegraph to the Dispatch.]

CONTESTED SEATS. WASHINGTON, December 3.—The House Committee on Elections met to-day to conider the cases of members whose seats are on the committee's docket. Four of these are ready to be heard, including that of Bisbee (Republican) vs. Hull (Democrat), of should avoid the financial question as far as | Florida, and that of Bradley (Republican) "In case of a decided and persistent dif- possible and let the Republicans do all the vs. Slemens (Democrat), of Arkansas. In the squabbling about it. To-day, Mr. Bayard | cases of Haralson (Republican) vs. Shelley (Democrat), of Alabama, and Herbert and Merchant vs. Acklen (Democrat), of Louisiana, no briefs have been filed by the conble for all dues to the United States except- testants, and they will probably be dropped

> otherwise a legal tender. And any of said COLORED EMIGRANTS EN ROUTE FOR INDIANA. WASHINGTON, December 3 .- Two hunsuperscription. Mr. Bayard thinks this dred and fifty colored emigrants from ought to meet the approval of all Demo- North Carolina reached this city to-day, on their way to Indiana. Fifty of them were furnished with through tickets, and the National Emigrant Aid Society is endeavoring to raise funds to pay for the transportation of the remainder to their

HEAVY SALVAGE CLAIM. St. John's, N. B., December 3 .- The Globe says the steamer Circassia has claimed \$50,000 salvage for towing the disabled steamship City of Richmond into Halifax. The Inman people decline to pay more than \$20,000, and the case has gone into the ad-

NOMINATIONS. WASHINGTON, December 3.- The following were among the nominations of posthere in the prosecu- Bringle at Salisbury, N. C.; and Benjamin

> Forty-sixth Congress-Second Session. Washington, December 3, 1879.

SENATE. Mr. Ferry presented the credentials of nor anybody I have met now wants Mr. pointed senator from Michigan vice Hon. Z. Chandler, deceased, and Mr. Baldwin was

Mr. Beck introduced a bill to authorize the payment of customs duties in legal-Democrats smile to notice the effort of W. tender notes; also, a bill to smend the title of the 48th Revised Statutes so as to authorize the purchase of foreign-built ships hither, an explosion occurred. One lugby citizens of the United States for use in oreign waters.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. By unanimous consent States were called as of Monday for the introduction of bills; under which call the following were introduced and referred: By Mr. Wood of New York: Respecting

Be it enacted. That so much of the authority conferred on the Secretary of the Treasury by the acts of July 14, 1870, and been exhausted and executed, be hereby modified so as to limit the rate of

interest on bonds vet to be issued, as authorized by these acts, to a rate of interest not to exceed 35 per cent. per annum. expediency of erecting a monument at York-

Mr. Garfield, of Ohio, introduced a bili tion of John Sherman in his financial mes- to facilitate the refunding of the national sage. I have good authority for stating debt. Referred. It provides that all ex-United States bonds bearing a higher rate county, was burned last night, with all its finance, and has no sympathy with those of interest than 4 per cent. which may who want agitation on the subject. Senator hereafter become redeemable, and it au-Ransom was at the Senate to-day, and his thorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to explosion occurred as the baggage-train health is greatly improved. He is on the exchange directly at par 4 per cent. bonds of the description authorized by the act of July 14, 1870, for any such bonds. Hampton. Hon. John F. Lewis and Major fit is understood that this bill was prepared passenger carriages thrown across the line. at the Treasury Department by Secretary Sherman, and contains all the provisions which he deems necessary to enable him to carry out successfully the work of refunding the 5 and 6 per cent. bonds which fall

Adjourned.

Church Burned.

A PHILADELPHIA CHURCH DESTROYED BY FIRE PHILADELPHIA, December 3.-A fair was held last night at the Presbyterian church, corner of Broad and Oxford streets, to deover the debt question," said I. "Does my fray the expenses of a new organ. Early Irish countryman Mahone want to repu- this morning some of the decorations diate?" "Certainly not," I replied. "He enught tire, and before the flames could be pay 3 per cent. for ten years, and after that surrounding property. The church cost something more." "Well, look here; you \$150,000 about ten years ago, and the damages are estimated at \$50,000, which is covered by insurance.

The Utes, Again.

RAWLINS, W. T., December 3 .- The mail from White River this morning brings news that on the night of November 30th Ute Indians attacked the herders in charge afraid you wouldn't be able to do it? Are of the herd of cattle from which the comthey dead or are they asleep? Why, in ten | mand was supplied with meat at the White-River camp, and drove off the entire herd.

Direct Line to New Orleans. your petty quarrelling, work up a sentiment LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE RAILROAD COM-PANY IN CONTROL OF THE MOBILE AND MONTGOMERY ROAD.

NEW YORK, December nounced after business hours yesterday that the Louisville and Nashville Railroad

John S. Mosby and the State Department. | Lawlessness in the Kanawha Valley. CINCINNATI, December 3 .- The Enqui-Charleston (W. Va.) correspondent says: "The whole Kanawha Valley mining region is suffering from the acts of the 'Knights of Labor' very much as the mining regions of Pennsylvania did from the acts of the 'Mollie Maguires' in 1877 and 1878. There were fifteen strikes along the Kanawha river, accompanied with violence and lawlessness; and since 1876 there have been eight fatal lynchings without an effort on the part of the authorities to bring the perpetrators to justice. This week another general strike was threatened, including the stoppage of all coal-trains on

was in session to-day, and will meet again

Fall River Election. ENROLLED WOMEN VOTING.

Boston, December 3 .- At Fall River the election yesterday was one of the most exciting ever held in that city. William C. Green was elected mayor, receiving 2,990 to 248 votes for Jeremiah R. Levy, Democrat. There will probably be a tie for another year in the Board of Aldermen. Most of the seventy-eight enrolled women voted.

Municipal Election in Scorgia. Augusta, December 3 .- Robert H. May was elected Mayor to-day by 664 majority over Charles Estes. May's entire ticket was elected to the Council.

Railroad President Elected.

COLUMBIA, S. C., December 3.-Judge A . Haskell, associate justice of the State Supreme Court, has been elected president of the Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta railroad, to succeed Colonel J. B. Paimer,

Beginning of a Temperance Boom in Georgia.

ATLANTA, December 3 .- A strong temper rance movement has been inaugurated here by John W. Drew, of Concord, N. H. It known as the "Blue-Ribbon Movement." Three thousand persons have bound themelves to total abstinence, and a temperance boom " in Georgia may be the result.

Rockdale county voted yesterday in favor of prohibition, and local option is becoming popular.

LATIST FOREIGN NEWS.

England.

COLD WEATHER. London, December 3 .- The weather is Great Britain and on the continent. Dispatches from Rome and Madrid report heavy snowfalls.

IMPROVEMENT IN THE ENGLISH COTTON TRADE. London, December 3 .- There are increasing signs that the cotton trade in North Lancashire is improving. Some of the idle mills are preparing to start again, and some firms have raised the wages of their em-

Russia.

ATTEMPT ON THE CZAR'S LIFE. Moscow, December 2 .- After the arrival of the Emperor last night, whilst the second train, containing baggage, was on its way gage-van was blown to pieces and seven carriages thrown off the rails, but nobody niured.

To-day deputations proceeded to Kremlin to congratulate his Majesty upon his visit to Moscow.

Lord Marshall gave the aeputation the news of the catastrophe on the previous evening. His hearers appeared for a moment thunderstruck, but immediately afterwards broke out into loud cheers at the Emperor's escape. The Emperor appeared in St. George's Hall at noon, and was presented by municipal authorities with bread and salt, when he spoke as follows:

Gentlemen,-1 am very glad to see you again remembering the loyal attachment which you evinced on the occasion of the sad event of April 14th. Similar assurances then reached me from all parts. The explosives which destroyed the 1m-

perial baggage train are stated to have been placed on Monday evening under vaults at a point over which the Imperial train would pass just before entering the Moscow railway station. The Czar arrived safely, however. At 11 o'clock Monday night an explosion occurred on the passage of the baggage train a balf-hour afterwards. The house whence the mine was exploded has been discovered, and search is making for the perpetrators of the outrage. The Czar will arrive at St. Peters-

London, December 3 .- A dispatch from Vienna to the Standard says the situation in Bulgaria does not improve. Prince

PORT OF RICHMOND, DECEMBER 3, 1879. ARRIVED.

Schooner J. S. Ivins, Ingleson, New York, rallroad-iron, Tredegar Company.
Schooner Albert Mason, Rose, New York, railroad-iron, Tredegar Works. Schooner Sea-Bird, Curtis, New York, hay, C. L. Todd. SAILED.

Steamer Ariel, Gifford, Norfolk, United States mail, merchandise, and passengers, L. B. Tatum. MEMORANDUM, PHILADELPHIA. December 1.—Arrived: Schooners B. Bradley, Bradley; and D. H. Diverty, Williams, from Richmond.

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RICHMOND STOCK EXCHANGE. WEDNESDAY. December 3, 1879. SALES .- 1.300 Richmond city 6's sold at 106%.

Government Securities.—United States 44's. 105 bid; United States 4's. 103 bid.

Nate Securities.—Virginia 10-46's. 40% bid. 41 asked; Virginia consols. 53% bid. 54% asked; Virginia consols. new. 24 bid. 27 asked; Virginia deferred. 7 asked; Virginia interest certificates, 10 bid; Virginia targendirable courses. 241 bid. 57 lerred, 7 asked; Virginia interest certificates, 10 bid; Virginia tax-receivable conpone, 84½ bid, 87 asked; North Carolina 4 per cents, 64½ bid, 67 city Securities,—Richmond city 8's, J. and J. 123 bid; Richmond city 6's, J. and J., 106½ bid, 107 asked; Petersburg city 6's, F. ask A., 101 asked; Manchester bridge 8's, M. and N., 55 bid, 80 asked; Manchester 8's, tax-receivable, M. and S., 65 bid.

other general strike was threatened, including the stoppage of all coal-trains on
the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad. It was
met by the declaration of the Governor that
le would use the whole military power of
the State, and, if necessary, call on the General Government for aid, to stop any smeh
lawless conduct. So far serious trouble has
been avoided. The 'Knights of Labor',
have some 5,000 or 6,000 members along the
valley, and have county generals and district assemblites in six or seven counties."

Tragedy in Bradford, Pa.

New York, December 3.—A Bradford,
Pa., special says; John Ready, who has
been for some time living with a notorious
woman named Carrie Nihil, recently became insanely jealous of her, and yesterday, entering the room where she was
lying sick, shot her in the mouth with a revolver, and then shot himself twice, dying
in about two hours. The woman is not seriously burt, and will recover.

Louisiana Elections.

New Orleans, give the Democrat claims
the election of Wiltz for Governor by 20,000
majority. The new Constitution is adopted
by a large majority. Prominent Democrats
consider the fate of the debt ordinance,
which was voted on separately, in doubt.
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Insurance Companies .- Virginia Fire and Ma rine, 25 par. 32½ bid, 35 asked; Virginia State, 25 par, 29 bid; Virginia Home, 100 par. 93 bid, 100 asked; Merchants and Mechanics, 100 par, 90 bid; Granite, 100 par, 70 bid.

Miscellaneous.—Old Dominion Steamship Company, 100 par, 80 bid, 102% asked.

By Telegraph. NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, December 3 .- Noon .- Stocks strong. Money on call, 5@6 per cent. Exchange-Long 480%; short, 483%. State bonds dull. Government Evening.-Money, 5@6 per cent. Exchange, 482. Government's strong and and 482. Government's strong and a shade higher new 5's, 102%; 4½ per cents, 105%; 4 per cents, 105%. States dull and nominal.

COMMERCIAL.

CORN AND FLOUR EXCHANGE. RICHMOND, December 3, 1879. OFFERINGS REPORTED TO SECRETARY. WHEAT - White, 402 bushals. Red, 3,084 bush

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WHEAT.—White, 176 bushels prime at \$1.58;
80 bushels prime at \$1.58; 6 bushels at \$1.45;
90 bushels choice at \$1.60; 28 bushels at \$1.45;
22 bushels very good at \$1.57-total, 402 bushels.
Red, 30 bushels Lancaster at \$1.55; 30 bushels
Lancaster at \$1.55; 26 bushels Lancaster at \$1.55;
10 bushels Lancaster at \$1.56; 104 bushels mixed
at \$1.58; \$40 bushels mixed at \$1.57; 360 bushels
mixed at \$1.50; 34 bushels Fultz at \$1.42;
36 bushels Fultz at \$1.25; 26 bushels Fultz at \$1.42;
48 bushels Fultz at \$1.43; 34 bushels Fultz at \$1.48; 48
bushels Fultz at \$1.43; 12 bushels Fultz at \$1.40;
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OATS.—106 bushels prime spring at 47c; 24 bushels Brunswick at 48c.—total, 130 bushels.

RYE.—98 bushels prime at 76c. RYE .- 98 bushels prime at 76c.

Fine. \$3.50@\$4; superfine, \$5.50@\$5.75; extre, \$6.50@\$6.75; common family, \$6.75@\$7; fancy trans. \$7@\*8.

RICHMOND TOBACCO EXCHANGE WEDNESDAY, December 3, 1879. The number of breaks to-day comprised 76 hogsheads. The offerings at auction on 'Change were 26 packages; of which number 11 were sold at paters ranging from \$1.50 to \$36. The following are the quotations:

DARK GOODS, FOR EXPORT. Lugs.—Common, \$2.50@\$3; medium, \$3@ \$3.50; good, \$4@\$4.50. Leat.—Common, \$5@\$5.50; medium, \$6@\$6.50; good, \$7@\$7.50; fine, \$10@\$12.50; extra fine, \$15.50@\$15. Stemming.—Common. \$2.50@\$4: medium, \$4.50@\$6: good, \$6@\$7.50; fine, \$7@\$9.

DARK GOODS-MANUFACTURING. Lug Fillers.—Common, \$3@\$4; medium, \$4.50 \$5; good, \$5@\$6. @\$5; good, \$5@\$6. Lear Fillers.—(common, \$5@\$6.50; medium, \$7 @\$8.50; good, \$9@\$10.50; fine, \$11@\$12.50; extra fine sun-cured, \$12@\$17. Wrappers.—Common, \$7@\$8.50; medium, \$9 @\$0.50; good, \$10@\$10.50; fine, \$13@\$14; ex-tra, \$11.50@\$12; extra sun-cured, \$18@\$25.

BRIGHT GOODS-MANUFACTURING. Smokers.-Common. \$5@\$7: medium, \$7.50@ \$10: good, \$12@\$15.50; fine, \$20@\$30. \$10: good, \$12@\$15.50; Bue, \$20@\$30. Fillers.—Common, \$5@\$6; medium, \$7@\$9; good, \$10@\$12; Bue, \$13@\$15. Wrappers.—Common, \$12@\$15; medium, \$16 \$25: good, \$30@\$\$40; fine, \$45@\$50; fancy, \$60

(#\$75. Mehogany Wrappers.—Common, \$15#\$18: mehons \$20#\$25: 200d, \$30#\$40; fine, \$45# \$50. extra. \$60#\$75. WESTERN GOODS.

Fillers .- Old Wark, \$3@4.50. villers.-Common to medium, \$4@\$6; 200 him. \$7.010. Lugs, Working.—New dark, \$2.50@\$3. Leaf, Stemming.—New dark, \$400\$7. Musan County.—New common to good filters. \$7

The above quotations are entirely for old tobaccos The quotations for new tobaccos will be made in

> My Telegraph. HEW YORK

NEW YORK December 7. Cotton steady; sales, 705 bales; uplands, 12%; Cricaus, 12%; C. Southern flour drie, with fair trade; common to fair extra, \$66,\$630; good to choice,\$6.40a.\$7.8 %. burg to-morrow.

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

St. Petersburg, December 3.—The official account of the attempt to destroy the Imperial train Monday night states that the explosion occurred as the baggage-train was entering the Rogosh quarter of Moscow. The train was thrown off the rails, one baggage-van was overturned, and two passenger carriages thrown across the line.

The explosion caused a gap in the permanent roadway of four feet and eight inches deep, sixteen feet long, and eighteen feet broad.

London, December 3.—A dispatch from View of the Content of the nal at \$1.16. Freights firm. BALTIMORE.

In Bulgaria does not improve. Prince Alexander has decided to entrust to M. Zankoff the formation of a new ministry. If necessary he will probably suspend the constitution and proclaim a state of siege, and abdicate if these measures prove ineffectual. The dissatisfaction of the Bulgarians is chiefly due to Nihilistic ideas widely propagated by young Bulgarians, educated in the Pan-Slavic schools of Russia.

MINIATURE ALMANAC-DECEMBEE 4, 1879.

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MINIAT BALTIMORE, December 3.-Flour firm and qui CINCIN' SATI.

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CINCINNATI. December? — Flour firmer: family, \$6.25; fancy. \$7. Wheat strong at \$1.28.6. \$1.31. Corn active, firm, and higher at 41.28.6. \$1.31. Corn active, firm, and higher at 41.28.6. Oats strong at 35.28.72. Pork firm at \$13.50. Lard active, firm, and higher at \$7.60.87.75. Bulkimeats and bacon quidet and unchanged. Greenmeats in fair demand and firm; shoulders, 44c.; clear rib sides, 65%; hams, \$2.85c. Whiskey in good demand at \$1.10. Sugar caster; hards, 103.6. 114c.; New Orle ans, 72.28.2c. Hogs easter, owing to heavy receipts, but in good demand; common, \$3.50.84.10: fight, \$4.15.6.44.40; packing, \$4.50.6.44.70; but thers', \$4.70.284.80; receipts, 23.635 head; stipments none. LOUISVILLE.

LOUISV files. December 3.—Flour steady and unchanger. Wheat firm at \$1.25@\$1.28. Corn firm; white, 44c.: mixed, 41c. Oats steady: white, 38c.; mixed, 36c. Pork strong at \$13.50. Lard firm; terries, 8%c.; key, 8c. Bulk-meats stronger; shoulder, 2pc.; clear ribs, 6%c.; clear sides, 7. Bacon hominal; sugar-cured hams, 10%c. Whiskey firm at \$1.10.

CHICAGO.

\$5.75@\*7; patents, \$0@\*9. Wheat excited and higher: No. 2 red winter. \$1.264@\$1.37; No. 3 Chicago spring. \$1.25 cash. \$1.26 January: No. 3 Chicago spring. \$1.11; rejected. \$25.. Corn scited, in mand higher at \$0.3 ke. Oars strong and higher at \$13. Bulk-meats strong and higher: shoulders. \$4.50: short ribs and clear. \$6.60. Whiskey in good demand and a shade higher at \$1.11.

At Close.—Wheat irregular and %c. lower. Corn regular at 40%. Oats strong and higher at \$3%c. Provisions excited and higher. Pork, \$12.05@\$12.18. Lard. \$7.75. HOLIDAY GOODS.

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